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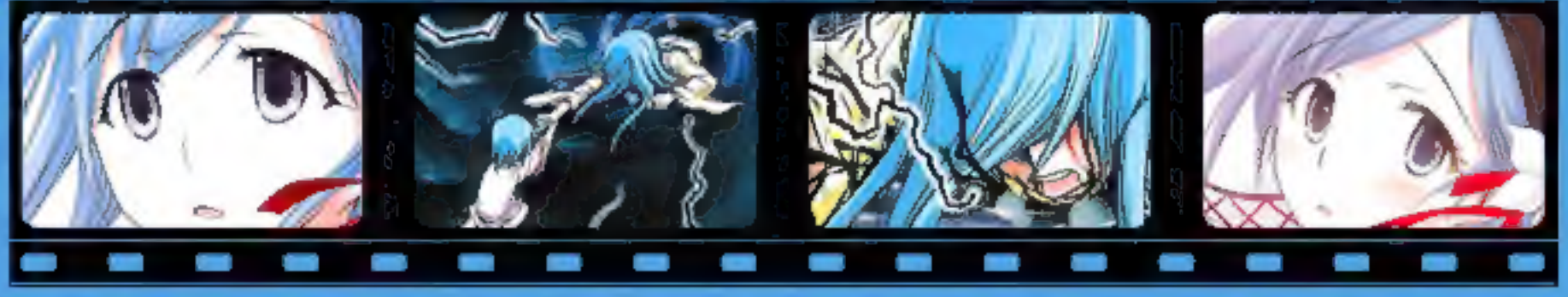

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Knight

Pain, 2H, Hakaze
Kuro, ManhHai090

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WHAT'S プランメダラ

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PLUNDERER Character & Story Guide

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【リヒトー】

陽菜が訪れた街で出会った冴えない能面の男。その仮面の下の素顔とは――!?

「シュメルマン」という別人格に支配され、殺意の権化となったリヒトーを止めるため、信念を貫く男・ジェイルが立ち上がった！　リヒトーはジェイルを敵とみなし、その圧倒的な力をもって斬りかかる。しかし、ジェイルは指先一つほどの鉄でリヒトーの斬撃を受け止める。そう、ジェイルの作り出す鉄は彼の信念そのもの。自らを見失ったリヒトーの刃ではジェイルの信念を斬ることはできなかったのだ！ そして、ジェイルはリヒトーに問いかける。「泣きながら刀を振るうのが…貴様の本気か… !!」。涙を流しながら「私が敵を全員殺せば――仲間が人を殺さなくて済む…!!」と問いに答えるリヒトー。その言葉に心優しい本来のリヒトーの姿を見出したジェイルは、本気をもってリヒトーを倒すことを宣言する。隠していた真のカウントを発揮したジェイルは巨大な鉄の魔人を召喚。その鉄腕でリヒトーを打ち倒し、「シュメルマン」の呪縛からリヒトーを解放するのだった――。戦いが終わり、正気に戻ったリヒトーをみて安堵する陽菜たち。一方、この一連の事件の報告はとある男のもとにも届いており――!!

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【星奪戦】

カウントが低い者が自分よりカウントが高い者に対抗できる唯一の方法。互いのカウントを賭けて戦い、勝利した者は敗北した者のカウントを奪うことができる。

Story ◉あらすじ

➡報告を受け、不敵に笑う男の正体は――!?

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うね
うね
うね
うね
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KYAAH !!

Flip

JEEE EZ!!

CAN'T WE DO SOME-THING ABOUT THESE THINGS ALREADY!?

WE BET EVERYTHING, AND THEY WON'T GO AWAY UNTIL A WINNER IS DECIDED...

SONOHARA AND I STARTED A STARTHEFT BOUT, AFTER ALL...

THIS IS MY FAULT...

I'M SORRY ...

AAH, THE LIEU-TENANT ...

SPEAKING OF WHICH, WHERE DID JAIL-SAN GO?

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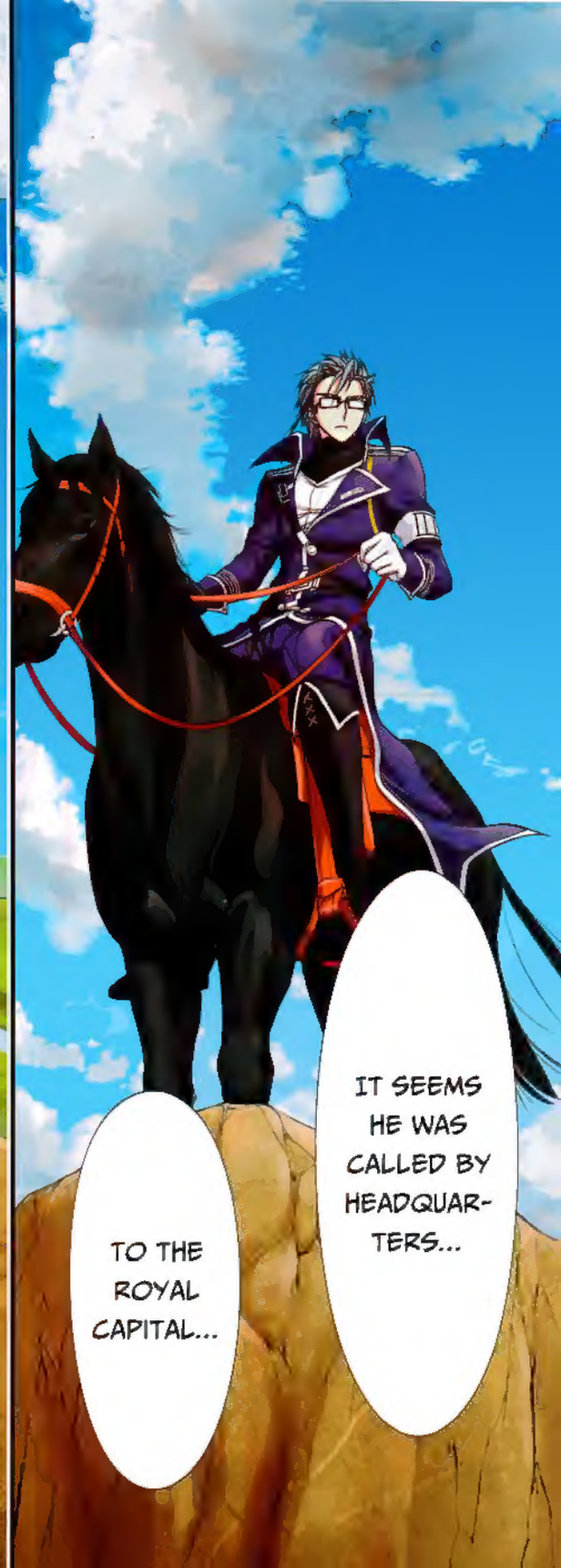
TO THE ROYAL CAPITAL...
IT SEEMS HE WAS CALLED BY HEADQUARTERS...

ALCIA KINGDOM'S ROYAL CAPITAL

NEUE WELT

ROYAL GUARD

GENERAL HEAD-QUARTERS

BUT...

I WONDER WHY...

THEY CALLED HIM SO SUDDENLY ...?

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PER-HAPS...

IN THE FIRST PLACE, IT'S STRANGE FOR HIM TO PERSONALLY MEET THE COMMANDER ...

IT'S ODDLY ABRUPT FOR A STANDARD INFORMATION REPORT...

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ABOUT THAT...

THEY FOUND OUT...

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WHAT DO WE DO!?

SHUT UP, UGLY

I'LL BE GIVEN THE DEATH PENAL-TYYYYY!!

THEY FOUND OUT ABOUT ME BREAKING MILITARY LAW!!

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"THAT" ...?

HEY... DON'T YOU REMEMBER THE OTHER DAY WHEN SHE ACCIDENTALLY ATTACKED THE ALTHING ...?

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SERGEANT MAJOR, TODAY YOU ARE STILL AS TRANSCEN-DENT A BEAUTY AS ALWAYS~~

THERE'S HARDLY ANYTHING TO FIND OUT

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OBVIOUSLY THAT WAS A LIE, YOU FUCKING **UGLY WOMAN.**

EHEHE ...

I'M NOT... THAT PRETTY ...

... AHH...

THE COM MAN-DER ...

IF THAT'S THE CASE, THEN WHY WAS JAIL-SAN ...?

THE PUDDING GUY DEALT WITH ALL THOSE GUYS IN BLACK UNIFORMS...

GET IT?

SO THEY COULDN'T DO SOMETHING LIKE GIVE YOU THE DEATH PENALTY.

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THE OTHER NON-COMMISIONED OFFICERS DID THE SAME THING AS YOU,

TO LIEUTENANT JAIL

HE'S "THAT"

EXCUSE ME...

.....

COMMANDER ALEXANDROFF GRIGOROVICH

...
YOOOO
...

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タ。

COMMANDER OF THE ALTHEA ROYAL GUARD

IN HOEMMH, YOU KILLED...

RIHITO BACH RIIIGHT ...?

SENIOR GENERAL
ALEXANDROFF GRIGOROVICH

JAIL MY BOY

hmmm moaa

YOU'RE NOT HURT, RIGHT? YOU DIDN'T WORK TOO HARD, RIGHT? YOU WEREN'T BULLIED, RIGHT?

CRUEL!!

HOWEVER, I'M A SOLDIER NOW AND YOU'RE SUPPOSED TO BE GIVING ME OFFICIAL ORDERS

I'M VERY THANKFUL TO YOU FOR FOUND ME UP BACK WHEN I WAS AN ORPHAN

CALL ME "PAPA" (SIR)

WHAT'S WITH THAAAT. A FATHER AND SON ARE FINALLY REUNITING AFTER SO LONG AND YOU JUST

OR SOMETHING LIKE THAT AGAIN, DID YOU NOW...

YOU DIDN'T SAY "SINCE I CAN'T SEE HIS FACE, I'LL CALL HIM ALL THE WAY BACK EHEHEHE ☆

DAMN, YOU REALLY HAVEN'T CHANGED AT ALL. .

JEEZ

IT'S NO WONDER WHY YOU COULDN'T EVEN MAKE ONE MEASLY FRIEND...

SINCE YOU WERE A KID YOU'VE ALWAYS SHOWN ON YOUR UGLY MUG THAT YOU HAVE NO CONFIDENCE IN ANYONE...

IF THAT'S ALL YOU HAVE TO SAY TO ME, MAY I ASK YOU SOMETHING?

I DON'T FIND THINGS LIKE FRIENDS NECESSARY

A FEW DAYS AGO,

Ehhh?

CALL ME "LIEUTENANT JAIL"

COMMANDER.

What is, Jail my boy?

Oh! Go ahead, go ahead !!

THOSE PEOPLE ALSO INTRODUCED THEMSELVES AS ALCIAN SOLDIERS, BUT THEY WENT AROUND MURDERING THE TOWNSPEOPLE.

NEAR THE TOWN OF LINDEN, I HAD AN ENCOUNTER PEOPLE WEARING BLACK SOLDIERS' UNIFORMS.

WERE THEY ORDERED TO KILL THE TOWNSPEOPLE?

WHO ARE THOSE PEOPLE?

BASTARD ...

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...COMMANDER?

WAS IT YOU?

BUT IT SUCKS THAT I'M LOWER THAN THAT DISTIN-GUISHED GUY!!

YEAH, THAT'S R.GHT!!

BJT, AREN'T YOU THE COM-MANDING OFFI-CER?

THEY'RE .. NOT ..?

..YOU'RE WRONG,

THOSE GUYS AREN'T UNDER MY CONTROL.

INTELLIGENCE OPERATIONS-KIDNAPING - ASSASSINATION... OR ANYTHING ELSE..

THOSE GUYS ARE UNDER THE DIRECT CONTROL OF ROYALTY.

THEY ARE CALLED

ALTHEA'S MARSHAL'S FORCE ARE IN CHARGE OF ALL SPECIAL TASKS

THE SPECIAL DUTY UNIT

WATCH YOURSELF, JAIL MY BOY...

UNIT...

.....

SPECIAL DUTY...

NEVER LET THEM CATCH SIGHT OF YOU...

IF YOU DO...

THOSE PEOPLE CREATE CHAOS EVERYWHERE THEY GO...

INFECTED-PICTEL ALL OF THE MEMBERS ARE SUPER-ELITE ZALIOT HOLDERS...

YOU'LL DIE.

WHY I AM ONE MORE SUCH TASK?

ST AMIT TAKE COACH ARM TO COMMAND TIMA.

YOU WANT TO ASK ME ABOUT THAT LEGENDARY ACID BURN, EVERETT...?

...INTO BACH.

...AND WITH SUCH A STRAIGHT FACE.

YES.

YES.

YES. PERCEPTIVE...

YES. OBVIOUSLY HE WORKED ALONE!

THE WITNESSES ALL POINT IN THE SAME DIRECTION. THE BALLOT COUNT RULES IN FAVOR OF...

THIS COUNTRY WOULDN'T BE ABLE TO STAY IN ORDER.

IF THERE IS A PERSON WHO CAN CONTROL POWER LIKE THAT ...

HIS COUNT ... WAS HIGHER THAN ANY I'VE EVER SEEN IN THE WORLD.

SPECIALLY MADE?

THEY WERE SPECIAL-LY MADE AFTER ALL.

THAT'S THE RED BARONS FOR YOU.

AND SO.

WERE MADE ..

THE REMODELED HUMANS.

I DON'T KNOW THE FULL DE-TAILS, BUT THERE WAS A SPECIAL OPERATION PERFORMED ..

THEY WERE SYNCHRO-NIZED WITH THE BALLOTS IN ORDER TO BE ABLE TO PULL OUT THEIR FULL STRENGTH.

300 YEARS AGO...

DURING THE ASIAN-[illegible] WAR...

THE LEADER OF THAT [illegible] PLATOON

THE SO-CALLED "RED BARONS", THAT WAS THE NAME USED FOR THE PLATOON CONSISTING OF THOSE REMODELED HUMANS.

IS
RIHITO

DACHI

SOME TIME AGO. YOU ALSO SAID...

THAT THE ABANDONED WAR TOOK PLACE 300 YEARS AGO...!!

I CAN'T BELIEVE THAT!!

THEY JUST STOPPED AGING...

... THAT DAY, SUD-DEN-LY...

I HEARD THE PEOPLE THEM-SELVES DON'T EVEN KNOW WHY...

IT WAS AN EFFECT OF THE OPERA-T.ON...

AHH...

STOPPED ...

AGING ...?

THEN WHY ARE THEY STILL ALIVE ...!?

IF THEY LIVED 300 YEARS AGO...

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THEY'RE LIKE GHOSTS...

IT APPEARS THE RED BARONS ARE STILL ALIVE...

DESPITE THE WAR BEING OVER FOR SO LONG...

MY RIGHT HAND ...?

?

GIVE ME YOUR RIGHT HAND.

BY THE WAY, JAIL MY BOY,

YOU...

JAIL MY BOY...

WHAT IS...

.....?

!!

SHIT...

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"I WILL NEVER TELL A LIE"

THAT'S YOUR CONVICTION, RIGHT...?

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WHY ARE YOU SO FIRED UP?

SPEAK-ING OF RIHITO BACH...

YOU'RE NOT RIDING RIGHT TO BACH, ARE YOU...?

NO WAY, YOU

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ANSWER ME...

NO.

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WHOOSH

FACE

YOU...

TRUTH IS...

THAT'S ALSO MY...

I WANT TO SEE THE TRUTH WITH MY OWN EYES.

"STEAL AWAY EVERY-THING FROM THIS COUN-TRY"

DO YOU UNDER-STAND, JAIL MY BOY!? HIS OBJEC-TIVE IS TO...

CONVICTION.

.....?

YOU FOOLS ...

BUSI-NESS ...?

WE HAVEN'T FINISHED THE BUSINESS I CALLED YOU OUT FOR..

IDIOT...

AGAINST THE ALTHING. DID YOU...?

YOU DIDN'T RAISE A HAND...

I TOLD YOU...

"HOW DID HE FIND OUT?" IS WHAT YOUR FACE IS SAYING RIGHT NOW...

THEY CAUSE CHAOS

ANYWHERE THE SPECIAL DUTY UNIT GOES

ARE A PAIN TO DEAL WIIITH ---

THESE ZIG-ZAG-GING THINGS ---

UGH ...

STOP AL-READ YYY ...!!

THIS IS ALL MY FAULT

I M I M SORRY SORRY "

CLICK

AAAAAA...

AH!

LIEU-
TENANT...

WEL-
COME
BA...CK
...

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SORRY ...

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U—

I'M SURE THE COMMANDER WAS LIKE "JAIL MY BOY. I MISSED GETTING TO SEE YO~~U". RIGHT?

AND I'M SURE YOU RESPONDED COLD-HEARTEDLY

JEEZ!!

LIEU-TENANT!?

WELL!?

HOW'D IT GO, LIEU-TENANT!?

HE'S YOUR FATHER RIGHT!?

PLEASE BE NICE TO HIM!!

I SEE

.....

RIHITO BACH, YOU'RE ...

UNDER... ARREST, RIGHT?

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THEY
...
FOUND
OUT...
.....

EH...?
.....

IS A VIOLATION OF MILITARY LAW

ATTACKING AUTHORITY...

I DON'T CARE!

...

YOU CAN PROTECT THE LIVES OF YOUR SURVEILLANCE TEAM!

SOMETIMES LIKE THAT, RIGHT?

FOR THE TIME BEING, IF YOU TAKE US INTO CUSTODY, YOU'LL CONTINUE TO HAVE THAT RIGHT, AND IF YOU HAVE THE

DON'T CARE!

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I...

HANDING HIM OVER TO THOSE PEOPLE IS...!!

RIHITO-SENPAI

YOU CAN'T!!

AH...!?

I WON'T SHOW MERCY ...

IF YOU GET IN MY WAY...

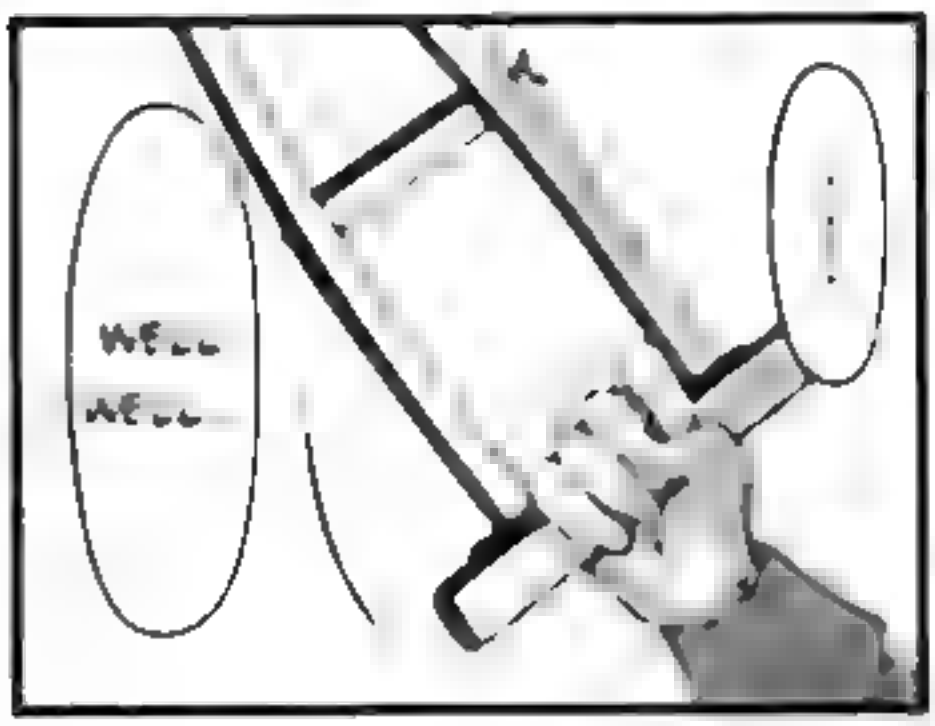
DON'T GET IN MY WAY...

HE HASN'T BECOME A TOOL OF WAR YET...!!

HE CAN BE SAVED LIKE ME...

DON'T GET...

IN MY WAY...!!



NOW WHO WOULD HAVE THOUGHT THAT A SITUATION LIKE THIS COULD OCCUR WHERE COLONEL RHICO IS BEING ARRESTED

AND BY A LIEU- TENANT

I M SURPRISED

HE'S REALLY GOT A LOT WITH HIM!!

BOTH PEOPLE AND RE- SOURCES

OH WELL

IF IT'S THAT PERSON I GUESS I WON'T GET INVOLVED

OOPS

IT'S A LIE AND MORE

I CAN'T DIE

HUH

COLONEL RIHITO, COME BACK SOON

GIVING YOU THAT LITTLE GEM OF A GIRL IS KIND OF SAD.

AND THEN WE CAN ONCE AGAIN KILL LOTS AND LOTS OF PEOPLE

AND STEAL MANY, MANY THINGS.

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LIEU-TENANT !!

PLEASE STOP!!

IN ORDER TO LIKE GIRLS OR ANYTHING...

—

YOU CAN'T

YOU CAN'T

LIEU-TENANT !!

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N'T

YOU CA N'T

SHUT IT.

YOU ...

STOP DECIDING EVERYTHING FOR YOURSELF... YOU'RE SUCH A CHILD

トン‥

CONVICTION CONVICTION, QUIT SAYING THAT.

IF YOU HAVE RIHITO HELPING YOU CAN JUST SPIT ON THOSE ORDERS AND FORGET THEM...

DO YOU HAVE TO FOLLOW THESE ORDERS IN ORDER TO SAVE YOUR SUBORDINATES LIVES?

AND THINK ABOUT PROTECTING... YOUR SUBORDINATES AND YOUR COMRADES

SWITCH FROM THINKING ABOUT SOLDIERS, YOUR COUNTRY, AND YOUR ENEMIES...

.....

BUT, YOU KNOW

THE WAR ENDED 300 YEARS AGO

IT ISN'T JUST YOU NOW

THAT'S THE STRENGTH

YOU MANAGED TO DEAL WITH

FOR 300 YEARS

I REMAINED LIKE THIS FOR RMTO

IT'S ALL OF YOU GUYS

IT WORKED

SO NOW

SO NOW

.....

USE MY

"TREASURE"

NANA!

WAIT...

FOR YOUR SUB-ORDINATES, WE DID SOMETHING IN PREPARATION.

NA...
NA..?

NOW YOU'RE ANGRY.

AT WHAT HAPPENED...

NO MATTER

WHAT HAPPENED...

THINK ABOUT IT

WHAT IS DISRESPECT...

DISRESPECT IT YOURSELF...

YOU'VE CHOSEN IT...

AND THEN IF YOU CAN...

YOU
TOO
...!?
SO
WAS I—
I
WASN'T
ABLE TO
CHANGE—
TO
CHANGE
WHAT

JUST TAKE CARE OF YOUR-SELVES...

THIS ISN'T A DREAM...

IF YOU'RE CARELESS...

YOU'LL DIE...

WHERE...

IS
THIS...!?

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星奪戦や、アビス送りの際に地面より湧き出てくる黒い手。「議会」との別名通りこの世界で最も崇高な法であり、その裁きに干渉することは許されない…らしい。

Story ◉あらすじ

ジェイルは自身の育ての親である王立軍総司令・グリゴローヴィッチの呼び出しで王都・ノイエヴェルトを訪れていた。親バカ全開の総司令をあしらいながら、ジェイルは「伝説の撃墜王」の正体について探りを入れる。総司令が語るには、「撃墜王」とは300年前の廃棄戦争で投入された改造人間の小隊であり、リヒトーはその隊長であったらしいこと。そして、撃墜王たちは原因不明の老化停止により今も生き続けているとのことだった。受け入れがたい事実を告げられ、ジェイルはつい熱くなる。その態度から、リヒトーをかくまっていることを総司令に見透かされてしまう。しかも、ジェイル中隊が軍紀違反（＝即死刑）であるアルシングに手を出したことも知られていた。そう、王族直属の「特務部隊」によってジェイル達は監視されていたのだ！ 部下の命を救う条件はリヒトーの引き渡し。自らの信念を曲げ、リヒトーを連行しようとするジェイル。そんなジェイルを制止したのは…ナナだった。そして彼女は言った。「300年前に起きた真実を知りなさい」と。そして願わくは歴史を変えてもらうため、ジェイル達に「とっておき」の力を使うのだった——。

➡ナナの力によってジェイル達が飛ばされた場所は——!?

JUST ONE THING, BE CAREFUL...

THIS IS NOT A DREAM...

IF YOU'RE CARELESS...

YOU'LL DIE...

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Chapter 13 ENROLLMENT CEREMONY

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コミックス③巻、
絶賛発売中!!

THAT IS...?

FLAT STONE PAVE-MENT...?

I'VE NEVER SEEN TH.S K.ND OF.....

ARCHITEC-TJRE..

..... I HAVE NO CLUE...

WHAT IS THIS THIS ...? G.GANTIC BU.LD-ING...

MORE-OVER

.....

.....

LIEUTE... NANT..

THAT IS...?

BUT...

IF THIS IS THE PAST...

IF WHAT NANA-SAN SAID IS TRUE, THEN THIS ALSIA 300 YEARS IN THE PAST, BUT...

ANYWAY...

WHY IS ALTHEA LESS TECHNO-LOGICALLY ADVANCED THAN IN THE PAST...?

SO WHY...

WE'RE SO FAR AHEAD IN THE FUTURE FROM THIS TIME...

NO...

I WAS THINKING THE SAME THING...

ALTHEA IN THE FUTURE IS LESS TECHNOLOG CALLY ADVANCED THAN IT WAS IN THIS DISTANT PAST...

OR IS IT JUST MY IMAGINA-TION...?

IS GOING ON...?

JUST WHAT

WHAT'S UP WITH THOSE OUTFITS .....?

HEY, YOU THERE...

!!!

THIS IS NO PLACE FOR THAT...

IF YOU WANT TO PLAY, YOJ BETTER HEAD HOME...

YOU COSPLAY-ING...?

.....

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PLAY...?

...COS...

ADMIT IT...

YOU'RE PLAYING A GAME OF PRETEND-ING TO BE MILITARY...

WHETHER OR NOT WE'RE JUST PLAYING...

INTE-REST-ING...

WAIT... LIEU-TENANT ん!?

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LET'S SEE WHAT YOU'RE...

MADE... OF...

.....?

LIEU-TENANT ...?

GONE...

EH...?

MY BALLOT IS GONE...

WHY...?

EH...!?

SORRY

THIS PLACE IS DANGER-OUS...

YOU SHOULD GO HOME...

ESPE-CIALLY..

YOU'RE NOT FOOLING ANYONE...

BJT

YOU GIRLS.

I'LL PROTECT MY COM-PANIONS.

THEY NEED PLENTY OF LOOKING AFTER.

...IT'S UNFOR-TUNATE BUT... WE DON'T KNOW HOW TO GET BACK TO WHERE WE CAME FROM...

BESIDES...

WHAT...!?

STILL PLAYING A SOLDIER?

JUST TRY ME.

I'D LIKE TO AVOID THIS POINTLESS CONFLICT...

STOP THIS...

"シャリ"

THIS IS ALSO...

TOO BAD...

フ..

...MY CONVICTION.

WHAT'S UP... SCARED ALL OF A SUDDEN?

.....?

.....

NO...

DON'T TH NK BADLY OF ME...

I'LL GO EASY ON YOU.

LIEUTE...

.....

GAH!!

NO...
WAY...

WHAT HAP-
PENED ...!?

JUST
NOW...
I...

LIEU-
TENANT!!

WHAT THE...

HELL HAP-PENED!?

I WAS HIT...!?

THAT POSTURE...!!

DAMN YOU...!!

AHH!!

JUST STOP...

...JEEZ...

IF YOU WANT TO FIGHT, ARE YOU GONNA FIGHT TO YOUR HEART'S CONTENT?

GONNA KEEP GOING?

GONNA GO AS LONG YOU WANT?

STILL...

THIS IS THE KIND OF PLACE FOR THAT, ISN'T IT...

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THERE'S A SEVERE PENALTY FOR BEING LATE ON THE FIRST DAY...

THE ENROLLMENT CEREMONY IS JUST ABOUT TO START, YA KNOW?.

EXCUSE ME

AHH

OH WELL

COSPLAY-ING AT A TIME LIKE THIS?

WHAT? YOU GUYS,

YOU CAN'T LIEUTENANT!

WAIT!!

IF YOU'RE "ENROLLMENT CEREMONY APPLICANTS" YOU BETTER HURRY...

IT COULDN'T BE THAT WE'RE ALL JUST DREAMING...

NANA-SAN SAID THIS ISN'T A DREAM...

BUT...

MORE IMPOR-TANTLY...

WHY IS THE BALLOT NOT WORK-ING ?

ENROLLMENT CEREMONY APPLICANTS...?

IS THIS A SCHOOL...?

SHIT...

WHERE HAVE...

HAVE...

WHERE...

HAVE WE COME TO...

JUST WHERE...

...?

HUH?

WHERE'S H.NA-CHAN?

SO MANY PEOPLE

AH AH AH...

WHAT SHOULD I DO...

I GOT SEPARATED FROM THEM...

WELCOME TO THE 13TH SPECIAL MILITARY FORCES SCHOOL.

SO I GUESS...

THIS IS WHERE THE RED BARONS WERE FORMED, RIGHT...?

...THEN...

JUST A MOMENT AGO.

THAT WAS SONO-HARA NEE-SAN...

MILITARY SCHOOL ...?

THIS SCHOOL TRAINS OFFI-CERS...?

LADIES AND GEN-TLEMEN...

TODAY, ON THIS DAY, IT IS AN HONOR TO HAVE YOU WITH US...

AHH...

THAT PUDDING GUY... IS HE HERE SOMEWHERE...?

FROM TODAY ON, YOU'RE NO LONGER NORMAL PEOPLE...

YOU'RE SOLDIERS...

WHAT A PAIN...

LISTEN UP, BRATS...

LEAVE THAT ALL BEHIND. WHETHER YOU GET EXPELLED OR NOT IS ALL UP TO YOU.

HERE YOU WILL BECOME FINE SOLDIERS; SPENDING AS MUCH MONEY AND EATING AS MUCH FOOD AS YOU PLEASE...

YOU NEVER KNOW WHEN A WAR IS GOING TO HAPPEN IN TIMES LIKE THESE.

I'LL JUST READ YOU THE GENERAL POINTS, OKAY?

SALUTE

EVERY-ONE...

GOT IT? YOU QUIET? TAKE CARE...

NOW FOR YOUR GREETING FROM THE SCHOOL PRESIDENT.

AT THIS SCHOOL, THE PRESIDENT IS THE COMMANDING OFFICER...

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COMMANDER SHUMERMAN.

HE SAID...?

SHUMER...

MAN...

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THIS I MAN IS...

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SHUMER MAN

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フッ..

"THE TORTOISE AND THE HARE"

HUH...?

.....

ONE DAY... THE HARE SAID TO THE TORTOISE...

THE HARE SAID TO THE TOR-TOISE...

ONE DAY...

THERE WAS A TORTOISE AND A HARE.

A LONG TIME AGO...

"WELL THEN, IN ORDER TO FIND OUT WHO REALLY IS FASTER, LET'S HAVE A RACE TO THE TOP OF THAT MOUNTAIN."

THE TORTOISE RESPONDED

YOU REALLY ARE SLOW.

UHA HAHA!!

PFF...

WHAT IS THIS...?

WA.T...

SO THE TWO OF THEM RACED BUT.

GYA HAHA HAHA!!

.....

WE'RE NOT KINDER-GARTENERS!!

WHAT THE HELL!!

SILENCE.

...!

KYA HAHA HA!!

WE'RE KINDER-GARTENERS, SO WE DON'T UNDERSTAND THE MEANING OF THE WORD "SILENCE!!"

"SILENCE" HE SAYS.

KYA HAHA HA!!

I'M ♪ MATURE, YOU KNOW...

HEY, TEACHER COULD YOU PLEASE STOP IT?

...AH?

トントン..

GEEZ... STOP IT...

EH...?

ゴト…

THIS ISN'T PARTICULARLY STRICT

SOLDIERS MUST ALWAYS LISTEN TO THEIR SUPERIORS ORDERS

THAT FROM TODAY ONWARDS, YOU ALL ARE SOLDIERS

I SAID JUST EARLIER DON'T I…?

HE SAID TO BE SILENT DIDN'T HE…?

...IS A CAPITAL OFFENSE.

BREAKING THE RULES...

.....

U...

UWA AAA AHH HH!!

AND THOSE OF YOU WHO RAISED THEIR VOICES OVER A GLOOMY CORPSE...

FIRST OF ALL, THOSE OF YOU WHO CAUSED DISORDER...

AND ALSO...

AH AH AH

REALLY NOW, CAUSING TROJBLE ON THE FIRST DAY...

Fuf..

THOSE OF YOU CRYING.

HINA...
CHAN...

.....

I'LL SLAUGHTER YOU ALL.

dp

GUH...

SHIT!!

MOVE!!

HINA-CHAN!!

JUST ONE THING... BE CAREFUL...

MOOOO OOVE!!

IF YOU'RE CARELESS...

IS NOT A DREAM...

THIS...

YOU'LL DIE...

SHIT...

HINA-CHAN!!

WE WON'T MAKE IT!!

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陽菜が訪れた街で出会った冴えない能面の男。その仮面の下の素顔とは――!?

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星寮戦や、アビス送りの際に地面より湧き出てくる黒い手。「議会」との別名通りこの世界で最も崇高な法であり、その裁きに干渉することは許されない…らしい。

➡陽菜、絶体絶命!!

Story ◉あらすじ

アルシア暦３０５年。数字に支配されたこの世界で少女は男と出会った――

ナナの「300年前に起きた真実を知りなさい」という言葉によって、ジェイル達は過去の世界へと飛ばされる。しかし、彼らの目の前に現れたのはアルシア暦305年よりもはるかに技術が進んだ世界だった。見慣れぬ光景に呆然とするジェイル達。そんな彼らに声をかけてきたのは黒髪の青年。青年は「ここは危険だ。遊びなら帰れ」とジェイルに忠告する。その言葉に激昂するジェイルだったが、青年の放つ“見えない打ち込み”に膝を屈してしまう。

少しでもこの世界の手がかりをつかむため、ジェイル達は青年の後を追って目の前の建物に潜入することに。そこはどうやら軍の学校であるらしく、中では入校式が執り行われていた。そこでジェイル達は衝撃の言葉を耳にする。「学長・シェメルマン少佐」。空気が張り詰めていく中、少佐は突如演説を朗読し始めるのだが、その場違いな行為に場内はざわめき立つ。少佐の「静粛に」という言葉もよそに騒ぐ生徒達。そこに鳴り響いたのは――一発の銃声だった。上官の命令に従わない者は皆殺し。そう宣言した教官は、容赦なく生徒達を撃ち抜いていく。そして、その銃口は陽菜にも向けられ――!?

I WILL...

AND ALSO, THOSE OF YOU CRYING.

FIRST OF ALL, THOSE OF YOU WHO CAUSED DISORDER, AND THOSE OF YOU WHO RAISED THEIR VOICES OVER A GLOOMY CORPSE

SLAUGHTER YOU ALL.

SHIT...

HINA-CHAN!!

WE WON'T MAKE IT!!

WHIRL

YOU ARE...!!

RUN AWAY!

プランダラ

plunderer

Chapter 11 :: RARE HUMAN

SO EASILY...

HOW CAN YOU...

SO EASILY!

HOW CAN YOU...

HOW CAN YOU...

KILL...

SOME-
ONE
LIKE
THAT!?

THAT'S WHAT IT'S LIKE BEING A SOLDIER.

MUST DIE.

DO YOU GET IT NOW?

THOSE WHO RAISE THEIR HANDS AT THEIR SUPERIORS, NATURALLY...

ﻟﻮﻙ..
THAT'S ENOUGH!

IF YOU DON'T, WHO KNOWS WHAT WILL HAPPEN TO THIS MAN!!

LET TOKIKAZE GO!!!

.....

WHO'S THAT...?

RI...

.....

RIHITO!!

……

RI

HITO…

RIHITO-SAN FROM 300 YEARS AGO...?

THEN, THAT PERSON IS...

I DON'T KNOW...

BUT...

COULD IT BE SOME-ONE ELSE...?

ONLY HIS NAME IS THE SAME, SO...

BUT... HIS FACE, STATURE, AND HAIR COLOR ARE COMPLETELY DIFFERENT...

GOT IT!!

NOW THEN...

GO FOR IT!!

THE COM-MANDER IS PINNED DOWN. NOW'S OUR CHANCE!!

ARE YOU PLANNING ON TAKING ME HOSTAGE...

WITH THAT TREE BRANCH ...?

ス・

YOU DIDN'T THINK YOU COULD...

SLIT MY THROAT WITH SOMETHING LIKE THAT, DID YOU...?

Pon!

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おろ

KILL ME...

GO ON...

.....

HUH?

WELL NOW...

IF YOU DO THAT, I PROMISE YOUR FRIEND WILL ALSO BE LET GO.

IF YOU KILL ME, THE COMMANDER, YOU ALL WILL WIN THIS FIGHT.

WHAT ARE YOU HESI-TATING FOR?

PLEASE KILL ME

YOU WANT TO SAVE YOUR FRIEND, RIGHT...?

NOW THEN...

DO IT...!

NO WAY

WHAT ...?

.....

BUT THEN YOUR FRIEND WILL...

IF YOU KILL HIM, I'LL KILL YOU...

YOU'RE MISTAKEN...

.....

YOU'RE MISTAKEN!!

ABOUT ALL THIS...

IS RIHITO-SAN...

THAT PERSON...

WELL THEN..

THERE'S NO OTHER WAY.

AH...

THAT'S NOT SOME-ONE ELSE...

LIEU-TENANT

I WILL...

KILL YOU ALL

KILL

What's happening

LIEUTENANT

Haaa

THIS SHAKING SENSATION...!!

RIHITO!

RUN AWAY!!

.....

NO....

ぽんぽんぽん！

GEEZ THIS IS TOO GLOOMY, LET ME HANDLE THINGS PLEASE♪

OKAY OKAY OKAY!

SORRY FOR THE FRIGHTENING THINGS YOU SAW TODAY, OKAY?

NICE TO MEET YOU ALL.

I AM SECOND LIEUTENANT FIRENDA, AND I WILL BE ACTING AS YOUR INSTRUCTOR.

CAPTAIN ALAN?

ヘヴヨ…

HJH...

I'M...

UH...

THOSE BJLLETS ARE JJST PAINT.

I'M CAPTAIN ALAN.

I'M YOUR OTHER INSTRUC-TOR.

FIRENDA AND I WANTEDTO SEE IF YOU HAD ANY CURRENT PROBLEMS.

AND SO...

IF YOU DON'T FOLLOW A SUPERIOR'S ORDERS ON THE BATTLEFIELD, YOU WILL DIE.

BOTH THOSE OF YOU PANICK-ING...

AND THOSE OF YOU CRYING.

I'VE SEEN TOO MANY PEOPLE LIKE YOU DIE...

...I...

SORRY FOR SCARING YOU ALL.

BUT REMEMBER THIS.

THIS IM-
PORTANT
LESSON,
OKAY?

MAKE
SURE YOU
REMEMBER...

WE'RE
SORRY...

YES...

AT THE EXIT,
PLEASE TAKE A
UNIFORM AND
PUT YOUR NAME
ON IT!! CLASS
WILL COMMENCE
AT 15:00...

NOW
THEN,
EVERY-
ONE!!

THE EN-
ROLLMENT
CEREMONY
IS OVER!!

SECOND
LIEUTENANT
FIRENDA...

WELL...

YOU
SEE,

WHAT IS
IT, COM-
MANDER?

STILL IN THE MIDDLE OF THE PICTURE BOOK...

I'M...

SHU~ME~R~ MA~N~

YOU'RE RIGHT.

WE DON'T HAVE TIME FOR THAT...

Yup yup

10-10-!!

OKAY, YOU'RE GOOD TO GO!!

THEN JUST A LITTLE MORE...

EVERYONE, EAT A LOT ♡

LUNCH IS BEING SERVED IN THE CAFETERIA...

FOOD...

LUNCH...

HURRAY!

LET'S HURRY!

HURRAY, FOOD!!

SHUT UP, FATTY.

YAY, LUNCH!!

WHAT'S GOING ON...?

REJOICING THIS MUCH OVER FOOD..

NOW I REALIZE I COULDN'T FEEL ANY KILLING INTENT FROM CAPTAIN ALAN...

IT WAS MY NEGL.-GENCE.

WE ALL PLAYED RIGHT INTO THEIR ACT...

UMM...

SO IN SHORT...

HOWEVER...

YEAH...

HE WASN'T PLAYING AROUND...

HE REALLY...

WHAT HE SAID WAS DIFFERENT...

THAT KILLING INTENT WAS REAL...

RARE HUMAN?

THERE WAS... ONE "RARE" HUMAN HERE.

INTENDED TO KILL RIHITO...

...THAT SAMURAI BOY, HUH...

AH...

YOU'RE WRONG, ALAN.

CERTAIN-LY... BEING THAT YOUNG...

HEY... ALAN...

WAS THE BOY WHO THRUST THIS FLOWER AT ME.

THE "RARE" HUMAN...

HUHH?

.....

AND THEN...

.....

HE FOUND IT BETTER TO SET HIS SIGHTS ON ME.

WHEN YOU WERE SHOOTING YOUR GUN...

SUDDENLY HE TRIPPED AND FELL IN THE MIDDLE OF NOWHERE.

AND SOMEHOW DANCED AROUND IN PLACE...

AFTER THAT, CLUTCHING HIS NOSE, HE STOOD UP...

WHEN THE STUDENTS PANICKED, HE GOT TRAMPLED ON.

THAT SAMJRAI BOY...

ON THE BATTLEFELD THOSE AWK-WARD MOVES AND NERVES WOULD...

WHERE DOES BEING "RARE" COME INTO THIS...

EVEN THOUGH I WAS PERFECT AT NOT GIVING MYSELF AWAY...

AHH...

THE MOMENT YOU SHOT YOJR GUN...

HE MOVED...

I WAS CARE-LESS...

TO THINK I WOULD TAKE A HIT...

STILL, THE BOY WHO THRUST THIS FLOWER AT ME...

HE WAS MOVING.

THE MOMENT YOU TOOK OUT YOUR GUN,

AND PRESSED THIS AGAINST IT...

I SEE...

.....

HE WENT AFTER THE COMMANDER'S THROAT...

THE VERY FIRST

FASTER THAN ANYONE ELSE

AND MOST OF ALL...

THERE'S STILL THE QUESTION OF HIS "APTITUDE."

I'M NOT SURE YET,

SO YOU WANT THAT GUY TO LEAD THE TROOPS...?

I WANT TO GIVE THEM ALL... A FUN LIFE ON THIS SCHOOL CAMPUS... JUST WHAT I THINK.....

I PRAY... THAT THE WAR DOES NOT START...

I WON'T KNOW UNTIL THE WAR STARTS...

THAT'S RIGHT...

A FUN... LIFE AT SCHOOL

...
ガイガイ
...THAT'S THE MOST IMPORTANT
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ワイ
ワイ
ワイ

MOVE...
.....
OHHH?
NO
YOU...
.....

TOKI-KAZE?

SOME-ONE YOU KNOW?

AH...

HAVE WE MET SOME-WHERE...?

UMM...

NO

AH...

UMM...

RIHITO-SAN!

WE'RE ACQUAIN-TANCES.

BUT...

(;-;)..

Yeah!

Well then everyone, sorry about that, let's eat!!

Ohhh~~? You guys come over here too since we're acquain-tances♡

Of course we Girls are! know every-one ♡ ♡

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はぁ

……

HEY

I SAT HERE F.RST

IF YOU DON'T L.KE IT SWITCH SEATS.

BAS-TARD

NO YOU

WHY ARE YOU SITTING NEXT TO ME?

How cruel...

They called me an idiot and a moron

STILL...

SHUT UP!!

IDIOT

MORON

YOU TWO ARE GETTING ALONG SO WELL ♡

WHAT IS THIS PLACE...?

返却口

受取口

カレー

親子丼

おでん

マヨネーズ
ケチャップ
ドレッシング

I DON'T KNOW WHAT'S WRONG...

WHAT THE HELL...

NEEDS TO BE CHANGED...?

THAT WOMAN WAS HOPING WE COULD CHANGE SOMETHING...

LOOK SO DIFFERENT FROM THE MAN WE KNOW...?

WHY DOES RIHITO...

HJH?

I GUESS FOR NOW WE SHOULD GET TO KNOW EACH OTHER.....

AND WE HAVE NO IDEA HOW TO GET BACK...

WHAT YOU JUST SAID..!

YOU'RE STILL PRE-TENDING TO BE SOLDIERS...

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上官の命令に従わない者は皆殺し　。そう宣言した教官のアラン大尉によって軍学校の入学式は騒然となった！陽菜たちが学校前で出会った青年・時風は一人事態を止めようとするが、アランに足一本で制圧されてしまう。上官に手をあげた者も死罪－。アランの銃口が時風に突きつけられる。だが…。「そこまでだ!」緊張感に包まれた式場に声が響く。声の元を辿るとそこには学長・シュメルマンを人質にとった少年・「離人」の姿があった。背後をとられたシュメルマンは、彼に自分を殺すよう促す。しかし、離人はその要求を断固拒絶する。その強い意志が宿る眼を見て、陽菜は離人がリヒトーであることを確信する。あくまでも人を殺すことを拒む離人に対し、シュメルマンは「ならば私が君を殺すとしよう」と言う。今迄の穏やかな様子は豹変し、周囲の者すべてが震え上がるほどの圧倒的な殺気を放ちながら離人に迫っていく　。そこに割って入ったのはフィレンダ少尉。彼女によると、全ては戦場の掟を伝えるための芝居だったという。緊張感から解き放たれ一安心する生徒たち。こうして陽菜たちの波乱の学校生活が幕を開けたのだった。

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➡「離人」の姿は陽菜たちの知るリヒトーとは違っていた。

プランダラ

pu ra n da ra

Chapter-15--FALLEN GOD-

I'll an easy-going teacher ♥

SHE GIVES OFF THE FEELING OF BEING A VERY KIND WOMAN.

I THINK SECOND LIEU-TENANT FIRENDA WOULD BE NICE.

SHE'S AMAZING...

I WONDER WHO OUR TEACHER WILL BE...

WE HAVE CLASS STARTING AT 3:00 PM

ME TOO...

THAT SLIT WOULD FEEL GREAT...!

THAT'S TRUE, I'M THANKFUL TO HER FOR BEING SO KIND EARLIER.

I...

...I

You're still eating

Cut it out FATTY

THINK CAPTAIN ALAN WOULD BE NICE.

.....

HMPH...

I FEEL LIKE I CAN BECOME EVEN STRONGER IF IT'S HIM / THAT MAN.

ｶﾞﾀ..

YOU STOP...

ｶﾞﾀ..

HEY... QUIT COPYING ME...

BURGER

I SEE YOU TWO ARE GETTING ALONG WELL.

DO YOU HAVE A MOMENT, CAPTAIN ALAN?

AAAH,

I WOULD NEVER BE FRIENDS WITH HIM!!!!

THEY SEEM TO BE PRETENDING TO BE SOLDIERS

WHY DID YOU ALL COME HERE?

REALLY?

WE'VE COME FROM WAY OUT IN THE COUNTRYSIDE,

....SO WE REALLY DON'T KNOW MUCH ABOUT THIS PLACE...

IT DOES LOOK LIKE IT, YES..

I WAS HOPING TO LOOK UP SOME THINGS BEFORE CLASS...

THERE... DOESN'T SEEM TO BE A REFERENCE ROOM, ANYWAY...

JUST DON'T GO WASTING TOO MJCH ELECTRICITY.

...AH,

IF YOU MEAN THE COMPUTER ROOM, WE HAVE ONE.

"ELEC... TRIC.TY?"

.....

"COM...

PUTER"...?

THESE DAYS, ELECTRICITY IS MORE EXPENSIVE THAN GOLD.

The wall of civilization

wall

Kuu

Take this wall

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ｸﾞｯ！

ｸﾞｯ！

ｸﾞｯ！

PLEASE GET OUT OF THE WAY...

AAH, YES YES.

F'chan's パソコン入門

WHAT IS THIS?

.....

BRIZZZ

BRIZZZ

IT SEEMS LIKE THIS IS...

ｶﾁ..

LIKE THIS, LIEU-TENANT

HM, AAH, I SEE...

ALRIGHT, LET ME LOOK AT IT.

GO AHEAD.

Click

Click

...IT LOOKS LIKE WE'RE IN A COUNTRY CALLED "JAPAN."

AH!!

NO... YOU CLEARLY DON'T...

I UNDER-STAND.

Click

LIKE THIS, LIEU-TENANT.

SO THEN...

WHERE IS ALTHEA?

HEY GUYS!! DID YOU SEE THAT!?

THIS PERSON JUST USED VIOLENCE AGAINST A WOMAN!!

HE TOTALLY DID!!

IN ADDITION...

BUT IT SEEMS LIKE THEY'RE RUNNING OUT...

IN THIS ERA, OIL, GAS, AND LOTS OF RESOURCES HAVE PRACTICAL USES, YET IT SEEMS LIKE ELECTRICITY WORKS EVEN BETTER.

THIS IS "ELECTRICITY" ... AND

Hina-chan Why?

I HAVE NO IDEA, BUT...

SINCE A LITTLE WHILE AGO...

EVERYONE WAS CHEERING FOR HAVING FOOD.

SOMETHING REALLY DEVASTATING MUST BE GOING ON IF THOSE PEOPLE HAD SOME SORT OF REASON TO ACT LIKE FOOD WAS THE GREATEST THING IN THE WORLD.

BUT WHY ...?

UUM... THAT'S...

Click Click

AND... SOME-THING DEVAS-TATING...

THEY DON'T... HAVE ENOUGH FOOD...?

nuclear war

NUCLEAR... WAR?

.....

WHAT'S THIS...?

NUCLEAR WAR.

AND THEN...

ORIGINALLY, POOR COUNTRIES WOULD "STEAL" A LITTLE FROM OTHER COUNTRIES.

FURTHER-MORE, BECAUSE OF THE RISING POPULATION, THE FOOD WAS BEING IN SHORTAGE.

IT'S JUST LIKE FORE-HEAD SAYS.

IN RECENT YEARS, THE DEPLETION OF RESOURCES HAS BECOME MUCH FASTER THAN WE PREDICTED.

THE FOO-
LISH, ONCE
FRIENDLY
COUNTRIES...

STARTED
A NUCLEAR
WAR.

Tude

BUT AS A RESULT OF THE NUCLEAR WAR THE EARTH'S TEMPERATURE DROPPED DRAMATICALLY

THE FOOD SHORTAGE WAS MADE CATASTROPHICALLY WORSE

BECAUSE OF THAT, THOSE FOOLISH COUNTRIES WERE DESTROYED IN THE BLINK OF AN EYE

BATTLES WERE HAPPENING EVERYWHERE

AND IN THE END

SUDDENLY, EVERY COUNTRY STARTED THINKING ABOUT STEALING FOOD FROM OTHER COUNTRIES

SO WAS

.....

THE ONLY QUESTION THEN WAS HOW LONG IT WOULD BE UNTIL HUMANITY BROUGHT ABOUT ITS OWN DEMISE

THE ENTIRE WORLD WAS PLUNGED INTO NUCLEAR WAR

BUT ON THAT DAY

.....

A "GOD"...

WAS FALLEN FROM THE SKY TO THIS COUNTRY.

WHAT ...?

TWO SCHOLARS FIGURED OUT HOW IT WAS USED.

HOW IT WAS BUILT AND IN WHAT WAY WAS IT MANUFACTURED, WE HAVE ABSOLUTELY NO IDEA.

THE FOCUS WAS THAT IT WAS A TYPE OF ANCIENT, ADVANCED TECHNO-LOGY.

SOMETHING MADE BY ALIENS OR MADE BY AN ANCIENT CIVILIZA-TION...?

GOD...!?

TRUE NATURE WAS...

THIS ANCIENT TECHNO-LOGY'S...

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MAJORITY...

RULE...?

A "MAJORITY RULE"

MECHANISM...

HUMANITY...

IN A MAJORITY RULE,

EVERY-THING VOTED ON IN THE AGENDA

IS "AB-SOLUTE."

BY USING THIS "MYS-TERIOUS POWER,"

YOU COULD FORCEFULLY IMPLEMENT NEW RULES.

"ALTHING"

CALLED IT...

EVERYBODY BEGAN SAYING IT WAS A REVELATION FROM GOD...

IMMEDIATELY, THE FIRST ITEM WAS PASSED.

ALTHING!?

THE THREAT OF WAR WENT AWAY...

WITH THIS...

THE ABANDONMENT OF NUCLEAR WEAPONRY AND A PROHIBITION ON ALL ACTS OF WAR.

.....

BUT...

...AH...

ISN'T THAT GREAT!?

THEN IT BECAME PEACEFUL, DIDN'T IT...?

SO FAR AS TO SAY THAT...

I WOULDN'T GO...

BEFORE GOING TO CLASS, YOU NEED TO CHANGE INTO THE UNIFORMS WE GAVE YOU.

DO YOU REALIZE CLASS IS STARTING SOON?

BY THE WAY, YOU GUYS...

YOU WOULDN'T ...?

THERE'LL BE SEVERE PUNISHMENT IF YOU ARE.

YOU BETTER NOT BE LATE.

ハンラッ…

12 11 10 9 8 7

THE COUNT...

...IN ALTHEA WE HAVE THAT MYSTERIOUS RULE...

ESCAPING FROM THE ABYSS...

JUST ABOUT EVERYTHING IS CONSISTENT...

BUT...

ALTHING ISN'T SOMETHING MADE BY ALTHEA...?

WHAT DOES THIS MEAN...

IF THOSE BLACK HANDS CAPTAIN ALAN SAID HAD AN "ABSOLUTE AND MYSTERIOUS POWER THAT WAS USED TO FORCE THE IMPLEMENTATION OF NEW RULES..."

THOSE ARE ALL THINGS PUT INTO PLACE TO PROTECT ALTHING...

I'M STARTING TO GET IT...

CERTAIN-LY...

THAT'S PROBA-BLY...

BUT THEN WHY IS IT NECESSARY FOR ALTHEA TO MAKE THESE MYS-TERIOUS RULES?

HOW DID IT ESCAPE FROM THE ABYSS ...?

ISN'T IT JUST BULLY-ING WEAK CREA-TURES?

MORE IMPOR-TANTLY...

YOU DON'T!?

HOW.

I DON'T KNOW.

THAT'S TRUE,

BEING LATE GOES AGAINST MY CONVICTION

I DON'T WANT TO GET YELLED AT FOR BEING LATE.

THERE ISN'T MUCH TIME UNTIL CLASS STARTS, IS THERE?

...THEN...

FIRST OF ALL...

IT'S TIME FOR CLASS!!

NO...

WAS I NOTICED...?

THERE'S NO WAY...

BUT EVEN SO...

THAT CAN'T BE...

THEIR ACTIONS ARE WAY TOO OBVIOUS...

THIS SITUATION IS STRANGE, THEY SEEMED LIKE THEY WERE SPIES FROM A FOREIGN COUNTRY, BUT...

AND...

ALAN!

WHAT WERE THEY TALKING ABOUT?

"COUNT"...

"ESCAPING THE ABYSS"...

WHY DIDN'T THEY KNOW WHAT ELEC-TRICITY OR COM-PUTERS WERE?

I HAVE...

A FAVOR TO ASK YOU...

IT'S JUST...

ALTHEA....

A COINCIDENCE, RIGHT...?

SECRET MILITARY TROOPS
CLASS 13

1-A

Jail Murdoch

Sakai Tokikaze

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Sit on your [illegible]
No F*king Chairs [illegible]

Shit!

?!

...SO BASICALLY THIS SCHOOL TRAINS PEOPLE...

I MEAN THIS IS A SOLDIER SCHOOL, YOU KNOW?

BUT HINA-SAN...

YEE EEA AH!

ISN'T IT GREAT!? WE ALL ENDED UP IN THE SAME CLASS!

WHAT DO YOU MEAN?

?

ARE YOU OKAY?

TO BECOME
SOLDIERS

AH!!

WHY ARE YOJ SURPRISED TOO?

REALLY !!!?

What do I do ...?

I'm in this terrible place...

YOU THINK SO?

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I LIKE THIS SCHOOL...

RIN-SAN?

AFTER ALL, THIS UNIFORM ...

MAJOR ...?

SKIRT!!

HAS A LONG...

+5 CM

SKIRT!!

A LONG

+5 CM

SHORTEN YOUR SKIRT.

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A LONG SKIRT~♡

WHY?

HURRAY!!

WIPE THAT LOOK OFF YOUR FACE.

HEY, YOU.

I'M IRRITATED

-6 CM

WITH THAT SAID...

Hurray

HURRAY

Geez...

Don't look at my panties or I'll kick you...

I AM CAPTAIN ALAN, AND I WILL BE ACTING AS YOUR INSTRUCTOR.

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OR...

I WAS SUP-POSED TO BE...

...?

I'VE BEEN PUT IN CHARGE OF A D.FFERENT CLASS...

SO YOUR .NSTRJC-TOR WILL BE...

HIM.

WH-...

NICE TO MEET YOU.

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HEY, SHUMER-MAN.

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DON'T SHOW THEM ANY CORPSES.

SHOW US CORPSES!?

CORPSES!?

NOW THEN...

I'M GO.NG TO HAND OUT TWO OF THESE TO EACH STUDENT.

FIRST LET'S GO OVER THIS SCHOOL'S RULES.

SFX: STAAAAAARE

FIRST, LET'S START WITH THIS PICTURE BOOK...

IS WHAT I'D LIKE TO SAY, BJT...

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THINK OF THESE AS SHOWING YOUR PRIVILEGES AT THIS SCHOOL.

A STAR...?

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BE ONE OF THE PEOPLE WHO END JP HAVING NO STARS AT THIS TIME, YOU WILL BE DEEMED UNFIT TO BE A SOLDIER AND JUDGED..

BUT SHOULD YOU...

AT THIS STAGE, YOUR FAMILY WILL RECEIVE A LARGER AMOUNT OF MONEY AND FOOD.

PEOPLE WITH AT LEAST TEN STARS ARE ENLISTED INTO THE ARMED FORCES.

FROM TOMORROW ON, EVERY DAY AT 18:00 WE WILL CHECK TO SEE HOW MANY STARS YOU POSSESS.

DID YOU GET ALL THAT?

AND EXPELLED...

FROM THIS SCHOOL PERMA-NENTLY.

BUT IF YOU ALL...

AND VICE VERSA.

THIS TIME, PEOPLE WHO RECEIVE GOOD GRADES WILL GET STARS.

HMM, A GOOD QUES-TION.

UM... HOW DO WE GET MORE STARS?

EXTREMELY QUICKLY...

WANT TO GATHER STARS...

EH...?

I DON'T MIND IF YOU TAKE THEM FROM STUDENTS IN THIS CLASS OR OTHER CLASSES OR WHATEVER MEANS YOU USE...

BJT... THAT'S RIGHT...

THEN STEAL THEM...

FROM OTHER STUDENTS.

IF YOU WISH TO USE VIOLENCE TO TAKE STARS, THERE MUST ALWAYS BE A MUTUAL AGREEMENT TO SETTLE IT BY "WAGING STARS" AGAINST EACH OTHER AT A SET MEETING TIME

BECAUSE AT THE MOMENT, THERE IS TOO BIG OF DIFFERENCE BETWEEN PEOPLE'S PHYSICAL STRENGTH. LET'S DECIDE ON A RULE ABOUT CAUSING MAYHEM OR PLUNDERING

YEAH

LIEU-TENANT...

THIS IS_

DID YOU GET ALL THAT?

.....

THAT WAY, ONLY THE WAGED STARS ARE TAKEN BY THE WINNER.

NOW THEN, COME UP ONE AT A TIME AND TAKE YOUR STARS

FIRST IS...

A STAR-THEFT BOUT

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JAIL MURDOCH-KUN

SAKAI TOKIKAZE-KJN

RIN MEI-KUN

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SONOHARA MIZUKA-KUN

PERU POPORO-KUN

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HINA-KUN

AFTER THAT...

SAKAI RIHITO-KUN

WHERE ARE THE...

RIHITO-KUN...

UM...

.....?

YOU DON'T GET ANY STARS...

HEH...?

YOU ALONE GET A SPECIAL CURRICULUM.

NO MATTER WHAT YOU DO, BY 18:00 TOMORROW...

STEAL STARS...

FROM OTHER STUDENTS.

HUH?

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